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Mr. William T. Walker
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Dear Mr. Walker.

I believe that PaveItAll, Inc. should not put a parking lot in the meadow of the Jarrett Nature Center for many reasons. It was built in there for a reason, but not for a parking lot. Listed below are some reasons I believe PaveItAll Inc. should not build a parking lot in the meadow of the Jarrett Nature Center.

My first reason is that many kids, and even adults, learn about the meadows in the Jarrett Nature Center. They can see, research, and even explore the things in nature. They can do these things without any cars, trucks, or buildings bothering the animals and plants. If PaveItAll Inc. builds a parking lot in the Jarrett Nature Center, we won't get to learn as much. The more we try to build new things in the nature center the less we get to learn.

Another reason that PaveItAll Inc. should not build a parking lot in the meadow of the Jarrett Nature Center is because it will take away the nature. When we start to build things that take away nature, plants will start to die and animals will have to find a new place to live. The food chain is an example to what could happen. A fox could eat a rabbit. A rabbit could be eating grass. If PaveItAll Inc. built a parking lot, which will spoil a lot of grass, then the rabbits will have less to feed on. More rabbits will die and then the fox will have less to feed on. Then the foxes will also start to die.

My last reason is that it will take away many homes of animals. All around the nature center different animals and plants live in different areas. Some live in the ground, the trees, or even the plants! If PaveItAll Inc. makes a parking lot in the nature center, imagine how many homes they will take away. The animals will have to find a new home. If they can't find a home, they will have no place to live. They could even die!

I strongly believe that PaveItAll Inc. should not build a parking lot in the Jarrett Nature Center because of how much it teaches others, the food chain, and how it will take away many homes. Please deny the request to PaveItAll Inc. for the parking lot.

Sincerely,

Edwina M.